GEOLOGICAL SURVEY OF STATE

439. Mr. C. V. Iyyu *(Kunnamkulam):* Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) whether they are making any arrangements for a comprehensive Geological Survey of the State;

(*b*) if the answer is in the affirmative, whether the Government be pleased to inform the House as to the steps they have taken in the affair?

Mr. K. Achyuta Menon *(Diwan Peishkar):* (*a*) The question of the Geological Survey of the State will be taken up when funds permit.

(*b*) No answer is necessary in view of the answer above.

MATERNITY LEAVE TAKEN BY LADY TEACHERS

440. Mr. C. V. Iyyu *(Kunnamkulam):* Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) the number of lady teachers in the Government and Aided services who have taken maternity leave during the period commencing from the beginning of Edavam 1110, till the end of Edavam 1114 under the following heads and the approximate leave allowance with the money spent each year for the substitutes of such teachers during the years specified above—

(*i*) once within 3 years;
(*ii*) more than once within 3 years;
(*iii*) more than twice within 4 years;
(*iv*) more than thrice within 4 years?

Mr. P. J. George *(Joint Secretary to Government):* Please see statements A, B and C appended. *(Appendix V)*

GRANT-IN-AID BILLS OF TEACHERS—DELAY IN PASSING

441. Mr. A. V. Moothedan *(Chalakkudi):* Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) when bills for the payment of salary of aided school teachers ordinarily reach the respective offices of the Senior Inspector of Schools;

(*b*) what is the date on which they are usually passed;

(*c*) what is the time usually taken by the office for passing these bills;

LIBRARY ARCHIVES Kerala Legislative Assembly